08-05-03 COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF Docket No. TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Parge Entity) 15436.249.26 In Re Application Of: Kevin Zhang et al. AUG 0 4 2003 Serial No. Filing Date

09/941,474 August 28, 2001 Kevin S. Wood

Invention: METHOD AND APPARTUS FOR PRECISION TUNING AN OPTICAL FIBER USING TO SERVICE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE **Group Art Unit** 2874 TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a April 3, 2003 response to the Office Action of \_\_\_ in the above-identified application. Date The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Five months ☑ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months July 3, 2003 until: August 4, 2003 from: Date Date The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below: **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** HIGHEST # NUMBER EXTRA **ADDITIONAL CLAIMS REMAINING** RATE AFTER AMENDMENT PREV. PAID FOR CLAIMS PRESENT FEE **TOTAL CLAIMS** 24 23 х \$18.00 \$18.00 INDEP. CLAIMS 8 7 1 х \$84.00 \$84.00 \$102.00 **FEE FOR AMENDMENT** \$110.00 FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME \$212.00 TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME

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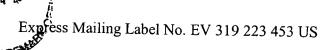
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## AMENDMENT "B" AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 3, 2003, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, please enter the following amendments and remarks in the above-identified patent application:

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